

ALLEGED ROBBERS TRAPPED ON ROOF

\$5000 in Stolen Silk Said to Have Been Found in Home of Suspect

TWO OTHERS ARE SOUGHT

Two alleged silk thieves were captured last night on the roof of a house on Wallace street near Twelfth, the home of one of the men, after they had refused admittance to detectives.

The defendants, Vincent Ross, of Wallace street near Twelfth, and Tony Letour, are accused of taking \$5000 in silk goods from the storehouse of the Birmingham Motor Express Co., Perth and Green streets. The robbery occurred at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

Four men in a motorcar forced an entrance to the express company's office and obtained the keys for the adjoining garage and storehouse.

The thieves took eleven packages of black silk strands valued at \$2000, thirty-eight dozen silk shirts valued at \$1000 and a bundle of silk clothes valued at \$400. They also carried away a small safe valued at \$50 and which contained \$12 in cash.

McCarthy and McCormick, district detectives of the Tenth and Rittenwood streets station, and Detective Clark and Creighton, of the City Hall staff, who were investigating the robbery, located a motorcar last night in a garage on Melon street near Twelfth. A Jimmy and a revolver were found in the car.

Suspecting the auto had been used in the silk robbery, the detectives located the name of the owner and went to Ross's home at 11 o'clock last night. The detectives were refused admittance. They forced a door and found Ross and Letour had fled to the roof. McCarthy ran to the rear yard, saw the men on the roof and fired several shots at them.

The men surrendered without resistance when the other detectives reached the roof. Police say they found the major part of the stolen goods in Ross's home.

CLASS DAY AT HAVERFORD

Dinner and Dance at Memorial Garden This Evening

All friends of Haverford College are invited to attend the annual commencement exercises tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock and to remain for a luncheon afterward. For the first time no tickets or passes have been sold on this occasion and instead every one of the students in the college is asked to attend.

Today is class day. A dinner will be given by the class in the Memorial Garden and a dance tonight. The class reunions will begin this evening.

MUNICIPAL BAND CONCERT

The Municipal Band will play tonight in Jefferson street between Sixth and Seventh streets.

BRIGHT LIGHTS HOLD FEW JOYS FOR RUNAWAY GIRLS

Frances Willis, 13, and Anna Tally, 10, Find Arrival of Daddy Most Entertaining Feature of Trip to Big City

"Can you give us a room for the night? We've tried several other places on this street, but they only have house-keeping apartments."

In this way thirteen-year-old Frances Willis and Anna Tally, aged 10, of Easton, Md., greeted Mrs. Elizabeth Norton, proprietress of the Gilkey, 2036 Arch street, last evening.

"Why, certainly," replied Mrs. Norton. "Step right in."

"We just want to stay for the night, for we must take the 7 o'clock train back to Easton in the morning," said Frances, as she turned to the mirror in the hall.

The little girls were runaways from their homes in Easton.

Mrs. Norton did a lot of thinking as she led her charges up the steps. She wasn't sure whether or not she heard a little sob as she neared the second floor.

"Here is your bath. While you are freshening up a bit I'll see that your room is in order."

She hurried down the steps and called Mrs. Norton.

"Please should you show the children a bed they would fall fast asleep upon it," she waited for Detective McCarthy to descend.

Keeping in mind a plan of action with the detective, Mrs. Norton went back to get her new lodgers.

"There is a gentleman downstairs to see you," she said, noticing that the soap and water had not hid the traces of tears shed in her absence.

They seemed a trifle surprised but asked no question.

"Good evening," Frances and Anna. "I heard you were in town and thought I'd drop in to see you," was Detective McCarthy's greeting.

"How do, but we don't know you,"

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MISSION HEAD ASKS CLEAN UP OF VICE

S. R. Gayton Corroborates Charges of Rev. Dr. McHenry on Conditions in River Wards

POLICE DENY ASSERTIONS

A corroboration of the statements of Dr. H. Croson McHenry, general secretary of the Episcopal City Mission, regarding the amazing vice conditions in South Philadelphia, was given today by S. R. Gayton, superintendent of the Bedford Street Mission, 619 Kater street.

"From my personal experience I know that the immorality and lawlessness described by Doctor McHenry exists," said Mr. Gayton. "and I feel as he does that the people of the city should interpose Mrs. Norton, who had been standing by helplessly."

Fellow Officer to Door

It seemed as though they were waiting just for the psychological moment and without a word they followed the detective to the door.

The Easton police meanwhile notified City Hall that two children bought tickets for this city and that their fathers were on their way to search for them.

At City Hall they met late last night and today the children are back in Easton with a tale to tell. They just wanted to take a little trip and had acquired five dollars and some change from their respective family pocket-books.

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See Tomorrow's Papers for Full Details

ROYAL BOOT SHOP FOR MEN TEMPORARY LOCATION 35 South 13th St. (Binder Building) Opens Tomorrow

with the children in the district of our mission, a great many shameful occurrences necessarily come to my eyes and ears. I know that the southeastern section of the city is honeycombed with 'social clubs' that are powerful agencies for evil and debauchery among the young men and women who come in contact with them.

Gambling and Dance Halls

"Some of these clubs are used for gambling, and many of them are dance halls. What the effect of this type of amusement on the youth of our city is needs no comment.

"Cocaine still is being sold throughout this part of the city, and there are any number of private stills and bootlegging establishments.

"The way to stop this sort of thing is not, as Doctor McHenry pointed out, through the enforcement of the law alone, but by giving these young people a chance to find orderly and wholesome pleasures. South Philadelphia

should have some sort of a community center within a radius of so many blocks to give the proper sort of interests and amusements to the young people of all ages."

Director Cartelou explained today that the police have been doing their duty in cleaning up the southeastern section of the city and that their efforts are being strenuously continued.

"Conditions in that section are steadily improving," said the director, "and within the past six months 600 arrests among drug peddlers, bootleggers and lawbreakers of that class have been made. The police will see to it that no laxity develops in their work and that the improvement will continue."

Lieutenant Simon Greenberg, of the Twenty-fifth district, denies that the state of affairs described by Doctor McHenry exists in his district, which is in the heart of the 'bad lands' attacked by the rector.

"There is nothing that could be called lawlessness in my district," explained the lieutenant, "and there is no foundation for the statement that it is unsafe to walk about the streets in this part of the city after nightfall. There have been no murders or holdups in this section for a considerable time, and all the talk about the dance-hall disorders is exaggerated.

"Merchant sailors who come ashore at the docks in this district complain that they would rather be anywhere else than Philadelphia, and that there is 'nothing doing' in the way of the excitement and pleasure they are accustomed to in other ports. I think that sort of testimony speaks for itself.

"There are only a few dance halls in my district. Late last night I walked over the whole district and the people on the streets were few and far between.

"My men are on their jobs down here, and we would be the first to hear of and put an end to holdups and other lawless disorders."

PLAN TO AID UNIVERSITY

Recorder Nitzsche Would Donate World's Fair Buildings After 1926

A plan whereby the University of Pennsylvania would receive land and exhibition buildings at the end of the proposed world's fair in this city in 1926 was suggested by George E. Nitzsche, recorder of the University, at a luncheon of the Rotary Club in the Bellevue-Stratford yesterday.

His plan calls for the condemning of all property from the west side of Thirty-third street to the east side of Thirty-fourth street between Fairmount Park and the University campus. Ex-position buildings erected on this land, he said, could afterward be made a part of the equipment of the University, and at the same time the campus would be connected with Fairmount Park.

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